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## VOICE OF AMERICA INFLUENCE ON AVH: SOVIET CHECK OF MAIL LEAVING HUNGARY

ATTRIBUTES ANXIETY OF AVH MEMBERS TO VOA -- Innsbruck, Unio Press Service, 10

Since the Voice of America has arnounced that members of the Hungarian AVH (State Security Authority) who committed inhuman acts will not be exonerated on the allegation that they were acting "on higher orders," some officials of the secret police are becoming extremely cautious. Leaders of the AVE complain that subordinate officials are reluctant to take direct action, even in unimportant cases, without written orders from higher headquarters.

This practice has resulted in the accumulation of a large number of pending cases and greatly hinders the execution of deportation and other orders.

AVH DETAINS CHURCH LEADERS -- Innsbruck, Unio Press Service, 17 Jun 52

Gyula Czapik, Archbishop of Eger, and Dr Endre Hamvas, Bishop of Csanad, were detained by the AVH from 30 May to 4 June 1952. It was noted that these Catholic Church leaders had sent protest telegrams with almost identical texts to Vincent Auricl, President of France, on 31 May, demanding the immediate release of Duclos.

SOVIET CEMSORSHIP IN HUNGARY -- Innsbruck, Unio Press Service, 17 Jun 52

During the past few months, Hungarians abroad have observed that mail from their relatives in Hungary either failed to reach them or prived with considerable delay. The reason for the disruption of the mail service is that the Soviet authorities have taken over the censorship of foreign mail. According to the regulations, Hungarian subjects may send only three letters a year to non-Communist countries.

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